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After a detailed viewing of the remediation doc for the Mike Horse clean-up,be advised I am against moving the the contaminated materials anywhere close to the Blackfoot River watershed drainage areas without an independent review.Making "quick" decisions like this makes for bad outcomes ,in my experience.

I would like to see an independent review by an engineering firm not politically or financially connected in any way to the Asarco settlement.I am not an attorney or an engineer but the Doc "feels" somewhat " fishy like your hiding some facts we should know as citizens, that we will have to live with the results.None of the actions ,so far,have been clear to the average citizens of the Upper Blackfoot Valley.All the land swaps with Stimson lumber,DEQ and the dealings with the Baucus family are evidence we ,as citizens,need to take a closer look at the possible outcome thru some professionals that are qualified to advise us.If what you propose is truly in our best interests then we can proceed with confidence.History books of Montana are filled with these type events that turned out as NOT GOOD!

I admit, I dont know all the facts but I do have enough information to state "I dont like this,It feels wrong".

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